

APPLICATION FOR BLANKET PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE AND OVERWEIGHT VEHICLES

West Virginia Department of Transportation

Division of Highways

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Company: _____ Company Phone Number: _____

Address: _____ Company Fax Number: _____

USDOT# _____

A blanket permit for oversize or for oversize and overweight will be issued to the company and may be used an unlimited number of times with any truck owned or leased to that company within the maximum size and weight limitations and routes specified in this application. The only vehicle allowed to use this permit for overweight will be a truck tractor, semi-trailer combination with five or more axles. Single unit vehicles can be used for over-dimensional loads. This permit is valid for use with seagoing containerized cargo, modular homes and most other non-divisible loads excluding mobile homes.

Interstate & Other Divided Routes	US and Selected Routes	All Other Routes	Axle Limits All Routes	
14' 6" high	14' 0" high	13' 6" high	28,000 pounds single	For Overweight Permit
14' 0" wide	12' 0" wide	12' 0" wide	45,000 pounds tandem	For Overweight Permit
95' 0" long	75' 0" long	75' 0" long	50,000 pounds tri	For Overweight Permit
15' 0" overhang	10' 0" overhang	10' 0" overhang	20,000 pounds single	For Oversize Permit
110,000 pounds	90,000 pounds	Legal Weight	34,000 pounds tandem	For Oversize Permit

*Notes:

- Interstate and other divided routes are all full or partially controlled access routes as shown on the West Virginia Tourist map which will be included with the permit.
- Four lane highways require one rear escort for widths of 12' 1" through 14' 0".
- Two lane highways require one front escort for widths of 10' 6" through 12' 0".
- Two lane highways require one front escort and one rear escort for widths of 12' 1" through 14' 0".
- Overhang can be front, rear or both. Overhangs greater than 10' 0" front needs one front escort; greater than 10' 0" rear needs one rear escort; greater than 10' 0" front and rear need one front and one rear escort.
- Legal weight is determined from the West Virginia Gross Weight Load Limit Map which will be included with the permit.
- Permits issued for oversize only will contain the above maximum dimensions. Maximum weight will be legal weight.
- A list of selected routes will be included with the permit.

Travel for oversize vehicles is allowed from sunrise to sunset, seven days a week, excluding high travel days. Travel for vehicles that are overweight but not oversize is allowed 24 hours a day, seven days a week, excluding high travel days.

Weight, clearance, event and other restrictions will be included with the permit when it is issued. Additional restrictions may be imposed at anytime during the year. It is the company's responsibility to verify that the route being used is adequate for the size and weight of the load being transported. Companies can obtain current restrictions by calling Central Permits at 304-558-0384. State accounts can be set up by calling our Finance Division, Accounts Receivable at 304-558-3122. Permit fees can also be paid through wire/permit service companies. Permits that are charged to a wire/permit service company will be mailed to the wire/permit service company. The original permit and all attachments must be carried in the vehicle while traveling on state highways. Duplication of this permit is not allowed. Unused portion of permits are nonrefundable.

Date permit to be effective _____. Permit expires one year from date of issue.

Number and type of permit:	Fee to be paid by:
____ Oversize @ \$200 = _____	____ State Acct. Number _____
____ Oversize/Overweight @ \$500 = _____	____ Check _____
Total = _____	____ Cash _____
	____ Wire/Permit Service Company _____
	Name _____

State Account # _____

Applications can be faxed to our Central Permit Office at 304-558-0591, mailed or delivered to Central Permits, 1900 Kanawha Boulevard, East, Building 5, Room 337, Charleston, West Virginia, 25305-0430.

I hereby certify that I have read and understand the regulations and laws governing the issuance of this permit and agree to the conditions on the attached page. This application must be signed by a representative of the company to whom it is issued.

Mail Permit to: _____
(if address different than above) _____

(Signature of Applicant)

(Title of Applicant)

BLANKET PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE AND OVERWEIGHT VEHICLES

THIS PERMIT SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS

Approval to exceed the limitations of weight shall not be construed as permission to operate a vehicle not properly licensed.

The State and the West Virginia Department of Transportation Division of Highways shall assume no responsibility for the applicant's property.

The applicant shall maintain licenses and insurance, if applicable, on vehicle and trailer as required by law.

All equipment covered by this permit shall be maintained and operated in accordance with the Motor Vehicle Laws and any other laws applicable to the operation of the vehicle.

In consideration of this permit, the applicant agrees to save the State and the West Virginia Department of Transportation Division of Highways harmless from any and all claims, loss or damages that may be caused to any road, bridges, person, or property by movement under said permit and shall reimburse the state or the West Virginia Department of Transportation Division of Highways for any expenditure that the State or the West Virginia Department of Transportation Division of Highways may have to make on any road, bridge or other highway structure as a result of said movement.

Nothing in this permit shall be construed as waiving any load limitations on any roads except as specifically provided herein for the listed vehicle combinations.

This permit shall be carried in the subject vehicle at all times.

Applicant agrees to furnish sufficient flagmen to protect traffic adequately at road intersections and at railroad grade crossings and at the ends of blind curves or any curves of such degree of sharpness that more than half of the pavement is obstructed with truck and trailer.

No travel is allowed when the surface of highways is made hazardous by rain, sleet, snow, ice, or when movement is made hazardous by fog or wind.

When necessary to permit the normal flow of other vehicular traffic which travels at a higher speed than the applicant's vehicle applicant agrees to park the vehicle at the first convenient location off the pavement to permit passing.

Violation of any provision set forth in this permit will automatically void this permit

A copy of the "West Virginia Division of Highways Rules and Regulations for the Movement of Oversize and Overweight Loads" is available by calling (304) 558-0384 or 558-3736; or by writing to West Virginia Division of Highways, MAINTENANCE Division, Central Permit Office, Bldg. 5 Rm. A-337, 1900 Kanawha Blvd. E., Charleston, West Virginia 25305-0430.

SELECTED ROUTES

WV 2	WV 55 – from Richwood in Nicholas County to WV 20 to US 60	WV 127
WV 3 – in Boone County & Lincoln County	WV 55 – in Hardy County from Moorefield to WV 29	WV 259 Mercer County to US 460
WV 9	WV 55 – from Craigsville in Nicholas County to US 19	WV 601
WV 10 – in Lincoln & Logan County	WV 61	CR 19/19 – in Monongalia County
WV 16 – from Dixie in Nicholas County to WV 39 to US 60	*WV 68 MP 0.00 to 12.83 in Jackson County	CR 34 – from Green Valley in Mercer County to US460
WV 25 – I-64 to Institute	WV 75	*US 33 – MP 0.62 to 3.32
WV 29	WV 85 – in Boone County	* Due to detour around restricted I77 bridge, 110,000 lbs. GVW may be hauled on these routes.
WV 41 – in Nicholas County	WV 94	
	*WV 95 MP 0.00 to 6.23 in Wood County	

WEIGHT AND CLEARANCE RESTRICTIONSInterstate Routes

I64 Cabell County – Bridge at milepost 2.03 eastbound and westbound – Restricted to 40 tons
 I 70 Ohio County – Fulton Bridge at milepost 1.53 eastbound and westbound - Restricted to 41 tons
 I 70 Ohio County – Wheeling Tunnel - No overdimensional loads
 I 77 Wood County – Bridge at milepost 164.69 northbound and southbound – Restricted to 40 tons.
 I81 Berkeley County – Loads greater than 12' 0" wide must have two rear escorts.

US Routes and other Routes

US 11 Berkeley County – Downtown Martinsburg Railroad Underpass – Restricted to 13' vertical clearance
 US 19 Harrison County – Gypsy Bridge over West Fork River, 7 miles north of Clarksburg - Restricted to 29 tons
 US 19 Harrison County – Shinnston Bridge over West Fork River, 10 miles north of Clarksburg - Restricted to 25 tons
 US 19 Lewis County – Bendale Bridge over West Fork River – Restricted to 38 tons
 US 19 Lewis County – Jane Lew railroad overpass - Restricted to 13' 6"
 US 19 Lewis County – Walkersville Truss – Restricted to 37 tons.
 US 19 Mercer County – Underpass at Kegley - Restricted to 13' 6"
 US 33 Pendleton County – Seneca Creek Bridge at Onego – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 33 Pendleton County – River Gap Bridge East of Franklin – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 33 Pendleton County – Hawes Tributary Bridge East of Brandywine – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 33 Roane County – Truss bridge 7 miles east of Spencer near Calhoun County line - Restricted to 32 tons
 US 40 Ohio County – Monument Place Bridge over Wheeling Creek, near Bethlehem - Restricted to 32 tons
 US 40 Ohio County – Playground Bridge – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 40 Ohio County – Bear Rock Bridge – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 40 Ohio County – Lewis Bridge – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 50 Preston County – Macomber Truss over Cheat River, 2 miles east of Macomber - Restricted to 13' 10" high and
 All Trucks Go Down Center of Bridge
 US 50 Hampshire County – Romney Bridge, 1 mile west of Romney - Restricted to 38 tons
 US 52 McDowell County – Underpass near Welch - Restricted to 13' 9"
 US 119 Roane County – McKown Creek Arch Bridge at milepost 7.49 – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 119 Roane County – Lowe Run Arch Bridge at milepost 19.49 – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 119 Roane County – Davis Auto Arch Bridge at milepost 19.59 – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 119 Roane County – Whiting Electric Arch Bridge at milepost 20.84 – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 119 Roane County – Meter Arch Bridge at milepost 20.98 – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 219 Pocahontas County – Railroad underpass near Mace – Restricted to vertical clearance of 13' 7"
 US 219 Pocahontas County – Swago Creek Bridge @ Buckeye – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 219 Tucker County – Bridge in Parsons over Black Fork River – Restricted to 36 tons
 US 220 Pendleton County – N Mill Creek Bridge near Grant/Pendleton County Line – Restricted to 40 tons
 US 250 Barbour County – Philippi Covered Bridge over Tygart Valley River in Philippi - Closed to truck traffic. Use Walnut Street or new Philippi
 By-pass.
 US 250 Marshall County – Park Run Bridge – Restricted to 33 tons
 WV 2 Marshall County – Coon Run Bridge – Restricted to 40 tons
 WV 2 Marshall County – McDonalds Bridge – Restricted to 40 tons
 WV 2 Marshall County – Upper Plaza Bridge – Restricted to 40 tons
 WV 2 Ohio County – Short Creek Bridge – Restricted to 40 tons
 WV 2 Ohio County – Southbound under I70 in Wheeling – Restricted to 13' 6"
 WV 9 Morgan County – Fishers Ford Bridge – Restricted to 24 tons
 WV 14 Wood County – Barnett Bridge at milepost 6.93 – Restricted to 65,000 lbs.
 WV 14 Wood County – Fifth Street Bridge at milepost 13.22 – Restricted to 40 tons
 WV 16 McDowell County – Underpass just north of Welch – Restricted to 13' 3"
 WV 28 Hampshire County – Springfield RR Underpass at milepost 24.81 – Restricted to 13'9" vertical clearance
 WV 28 Mineral County – Ridgeley Railroad Underpass – Restricted to vertical clearance of 11' 11"
 WV 39 Pocahontas County – Buzzard Bridge @ Huntersville – Restricted to 40 tons
 WV 45 Berkeley County – Roy P. "Tut" Parsons Bridge at milepost 4.24 – Restricted to 22 tons
 WV 66 Pocahontas County – Bridge over Greenbrier River at Cass – Restricted to 28 tons
 WV 87 Jackson County – Evans Bridge at milepost 5.40 – Restricted to 16 tons
 WV 92 Randolph County – Crystal Springs Bridge, 1.5 miles west of Elkins (old US 33) – Restricted to 23 tons
 WV 331 Jackson County – entire route restricted to 16 tons
 WV 331 Jackson County – Cottageville T-beam Bridge at milepost 1.34 – Restricted to 3 tons.

HIGH TRAVEL DAYS, EVENTS AND OTHER RESTRICTIONS
WHERE TRAVEL IS NOT ALLOWED

High Travel Days

Date Restriction

Good Friday	Sundown Thursday, April 1, 2010 to sunrise Monday, April 5, 2010
Memorial Day	Sundown Friday, May 28, 2010 to sunrise Tuesday, June 1, 2010
Independence Day	Sundown Thursday, July 2, 2010 to sunrise Tuesday, July 6, 2010
Labor Day	Sundown Friday, September 3, 2010 to sunrise Tuesday, September 7, 2010
Thanksgiving Day	Sundown Tuesday, November 23, 2010 to sunrise Monday, November 29, 2010
Christmas Day	Sundown Thursday, December 23, 2010 to sunrise Monday, December 27, 2010
New Years Day	Sundown Thursday, December 30, 2010 to sunrise Monday, January 3, 2011

Event Restrictions – No Overdimensional travel between sunrise of the first date until sunset of the last date.

West Virginia University football games – No travel in Monongalia, Marion, Harrison and Preston Counties on the day of home games.

Pioneer Days Festival – No travel in Marlinton (Pocahontas County) on July 7 – 10, 2010

State Fair – No travel on US219 from I64 to Ronceverte (Greenbrier County) on August 13 – 21, 2010

Treasure Mountain Festival – No travel in Franklin (Pendleton County) on September 16 - 19, 2010

Forest Festival – No travel in Elkins (Randolph County) on October 2 – October 10, 2010

Bridge Day – No travel on US 19 between US 60 and Oak Hill (Fayette County) on October 16, 2010

Other Restrictions

School Bus Hours – No travel allowed Monday through Friday on two lane highways for escorted vehicles from 7 AM to 9 AM and 2:30 PM to 4:00 PM from August 26, 2009 through June 8, 2010.

Charleston Area – No travel allowed for escorted vehicles from 7 AM to 9 AM and 4 PM to 6 PM during daylight savings time.

During Eastern Standard Time, travel is allowed only from 9 AM to 4 PM. Charleston area includes I64 between Exit 39 and Exit 85, I77 between Exit 106 and Exit 85, US119 from Ruth to I64, and all other routes within 5 miles of the Charleston City Limits.